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Applicant(s): Shinji Negishi et al.								
Invention: DATA TRANSMISSION SYSTEM, DATA TRANSMITTING APPARATUS AND METHOD, AND SCENE DESCRIPTION UNIT AND METHOD								
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## AFTER FINAL RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Dear Sir:

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In full and timely response to the Final Office Action dated March 13, 2007, please consider this response in the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

The Pending Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 18 of this paper.